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SUBJECT: KHMER REPRESENTATION AT UNGA

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1. AN EMBASSY POLITICAL OFFICER MADE POINTS IN REF B TO S. M. CHADHA, DIRECTOR OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY'S UN DIVISION ON NOVEMBER 9, STRESSING OUR HOPE INDIA WOULD VOTE AGAINST ANY MOVE TO GIVE THE KHMER SEAT TO THE SIHANOUK GOVERNMENT. CHADHA INSISTED INDIA HAD NOT YET DECIDED HOW IT WOULD VOTE AND WOULD TAKE THE US VIEWS INTO CONSIDERATION, HE INDICATED INDIA WOULD MAKE UP ITS MIND AS LATE AS POSSIBLE IN LIGHT OF THE CONTINUING MANEUVERING ON THIS ISSUE AT THE UNGA, BUT WOULD REGARD THE QUESTION OF INVITING THE SIHANOUK RATHER THAN THE PHNOM PENH GOVERNMENT TO THE LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE AS SQUARELY POSING THE QUESTION OF WHAT POSITION INDIA SHOULD TAKE IN THE WHOLE QUESTION OF THE UN SEAT. HE SAID THIS DECISION WOULD BE POLITICAL AND WOULD BE TAKEN BY THE FOREIGN MINISTER OR FOREIGN SECRETARY. CHADHA BELIEVED, HOWEVER, ON THE BASIS
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OF REPORTING HE WAS RECEIVING FROM NEWYORK THAT THE ISSUE

OF INVITING THEM OR ANOTHER GOVERNMENT TO THE LOS
CONFERENCE WAS NOT LIKELY TO COME UP AS EARLY AS NEXT WEEK.

2. I SPOKE PRETTY BLUNTLY TO FOREIGN SECRETARY KEWAL
SINGH ABOUT THIS BEFORE HIS RECENT TRIP TO THE STATES
(REFTEL C). I WOULD BE GLAD TO TAKE ANOTHER CRACK AT IT
WITH HIM--OR PERHAPS WITH THE FOREIGN MINISTER WHO MAY
HAVE A DIRECT INTEREST IN VIEW OF THE POSITION ADOPTED
AT ALGIERS REGARDING THE SIHANOUK GOVERNMENT. I WOULD
LIKE TO TAKE THIS ACTION AT THE MOST STRATEGIC MOMENT,
HOWEVER, AND ASSUME SOMEONE WILL LET ME KNOW WHEN
THIS COMES.
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